GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Home -Police- Disciplinary action under Rule 20 of the APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991 against Sri P. Srinivasa Rao, ASI 946 (f) Tanuku Town PS, W.G. District now retired from service - Further action dropped - Orders - Issued.

HOME (SERVICES.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 54 Dated: 23-01-2017

Read:

From the Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad, Lr.Rc.No.150/T1/2016, Dt.02.05.2016.

ORDER:

In the reference read above, the Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad has stated that the Addl.DGP, CID requested the DIG, Eluru Range to initiate disciplinary action against the following Investigating Officers who committed certain lapses in the Investigation in Cr.No.19/2010 U/s. 120(b), 420, 468, 471 IPC of Tanuku Town P.S., West Godavari District.

i) Sri P. Srininvasa Rao, ASI 946 (f) Tanuku PS, now retired from service on superannuation wef 31.07.2012.
ii) Sri D. Venkata Ramana, SI of Police, (f) Tanuku Town PS
iii) Sri P.V.V.L.P. Ramam, ASI 713, (f) Tanuku Town PS.
iv) Sri K. Vijaya Babu, SI of Police, (f) Tanuku PS.

2. The Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad has further stated that the SP, West Godavari District initiated disciplinary action under Rule 22 of the APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991 (Minor PR) against the Charged Officers at SI Nos. 2 to 4 above. The DIG, Eluru Range further informed that the Charged officer at SI.No.1 Sri P. Srinivasa Rao, ASI 946 (f) Tanuku PS , retired from service on superannuation wef 31.07.2012 hence the Government is the competent authority to initiate disciplinary action under Rule 9 (2) (b) (ii) of the AP Revised Pension Rules, 1980 and requested to address the Government for necessary orders.

3. He has also stated that the DIG, Eluru Range has furnished the draft articles of charge along with relevant material in respect of retired ASI along with a detailed report on the lapses committed by the Charged officer in the investigation of the case in Cr.No.19/2010, u/s. 120(b), 420, 468, 471 IPC of Tanuku PS, W.G.District.

4. He has stated that the DIG, Eluru Range in his report has stated that the retired Charged Officer Sri P. Srinivasa Rao, (f) ASI 946 during his tenure at Tanuku PS registered FIR on 19.01.2010 in a case in Cr.No.19/2010, u/s 120(b), 420, 468, 471 of IPC of Tanuku Town PS, W.G District. He did not record the statement of the complainant. He did not mention in the relevant column in printed FIR about handing over the CD file to the SI, Tanuku Rural PS as per the instructions of the Inspr. of Police, Tanuku.

5. The Director General of Police, A.P, Hyderabad has stated that in the instant case, the event of perfunctory investigation by the retired ASI on which the departmental proceedings are recommended by the DIG, Eluru Range took place during the year 2010. According to Rule 9(2) (b) (i) of AP Revised Pension Rules, 1980 the Departmental proceedings have to be sanctioned by the Government as soon as possible after the retirement of the ASI who retired from service w.e.f 31.07.2012. Such Departmental

Proceedings should have been instituted duly serving the article of charges on the retired Government servant during the year 2014 i.e., within four years of the event of perfunctory investigation. In this case no departmental proceedings were initiated against the retired charged officer as on date for the misconduct he committed during the year 2010 and hence 4 years time limit has lapsed as per Rule 9(2) (b) (ii) of AP Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

6. Government, after careful examination of the material made available, hereby decided not to initiate Disciplinary action against Sri P. Srinivasa Rao, (f) ASI 946 since 4 years time limit has lapsed as per Rule 9(2) (b) (ii) of AP Revised Pension Rules, 1980.

7. The Director General of Police, A.P., Hyderabad, A.P., Hyderabad is requested to take necessary follow up action in the matter. The records received through the letter are returned herewith and receipt of the same should be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNER OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

A.R.ANURADHA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Director General of Police, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.
Copy to:-
The individual (through DGP)

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